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Application Number: 09/935,796

Filing Date: August 24, 2001

First Named Inventor: Ming-Dou KER et al.

Group Art Unit: 2818

Examiner Name: Mai-Huong TRAN

Attorney Docket Number: SUND 218

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

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1. Submission Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously Submitted
i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s) reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
iii. ☐ Other _____

- b. ☒ Enclosed
i. ☒ Amendment
ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
iv. ☒ Other Petition for Extension of Time

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2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (i) required)
b. ☐ Other _____

3. FEES The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 18-0002.

- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) **\$770.00**
ii. ☒ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)
iii. ☐ Other **\$ 0.00**

- b. ☒ Check in the amount of **\$880.00** enclosed.
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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted with the Applicant's Request for Continued Examination (RCE) pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.114(a). The time for filing the RCE is extended through November 9, 2003 by the Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith. Please amend the above-referenced application as shown on the following pages.

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